ANS Correspondence

Delano, Frederic A.

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$10.00 check is for this fund
F. A. Delano

THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY
BROADWAY, BETWEEN 155TH
AND 156TH STREETS
NEW YORK

December 28th, 1922.

Mr. F. A. Delano,
1128 -16th St.,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

The Society's collection of decorations and war medals has so greatly increased during the past two years that the swing-cases for exhibiting it prove entirely inadequate. Unfortunately, one-third of the collection is not on view owing to this lack of space.

The swing-cases are hung on two sides of each of the four columns in the exhibition room, and it has been found practicable, by providing larger bases, to hang five cases instead of the present three to the columns, thereby increasing our exhibition space by two-thirds.

The additional sixteen cases will provide adequate space for this valuable collection, which is probably the largest and most important in existence. The Society feels that it owes to the memory of the late Mr. J. Sanford Saltus, its friend and benefactor, proper provision for the display of the collection in which he took such great interest and to which he contributed the largest part of its treasures.

These new cases, together with the larger bases, will cost approximately $1,000. Two of the Society's members have already contributed $100. each. It would be greatly appreciated if you could see your way clear to assist in the matter of raising the necessary amount for this purpose.

Trusting you will lend your support, and that we may receive a cheque from you made out to the order of The American Numismatic Society, I am,

Very truly yours,

Edward T. Newell
President.

Received

January 15th, 1923.

Mr. F. A. Delano,
1128 - 16th Street,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Delano:-

On behalf of The American Numismatic Society, I desire to thank you most sincerely for your generous contribution toward the cost of the swing cases we are providing for our decorations and War medals.

Very truly yours,

President.

Jan 3/21

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WASHINGTON, D.C.

The American Numismatic Society
Broadway – bet. 155th & 156th

Dear Sirs:

I feel constrained to ask you to drop my name from your membership roll.

Yours truly

Frederick Delano